Essex Family Forum

The Parent Carer Forum for Essex

What is a Parent Carer Forum?

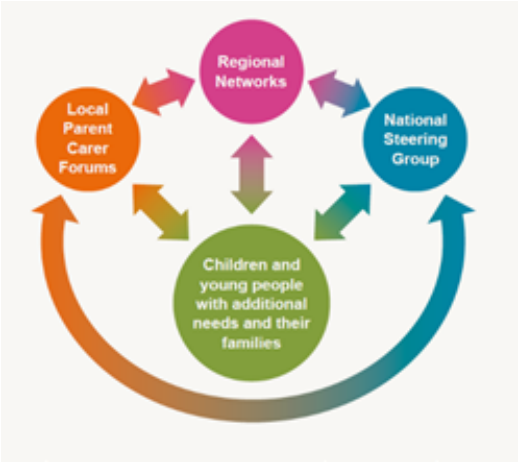
A Parent Carer Forum (PCF) is a group of parents and carers of children with additional needs and disabilities. Everyone who works or volunteers with a parent carer forum is also a parent or carer of a child or young person with SEND. Parent Carer Forums aim to ensure the services in their area meet the needs and improve outcomes of children and young people with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND) and their families. Essex Family Forum is the Parent Carer Forum for Essex.



Do you just work in Essex?

Essex Family Forum is part of the Eastern Region Regional Parent Carer Forum which consists of 11 forums. We are also part of the National Network of Parent Carer Forums which number 151 forums all over England.

This means ***your views*** not only contribute to the work we do in Essex but also to regional and national discussions and developments relating to SEND.





Can I get involved?

YES! Being part of Essex Family Forum does not mean you have to commit lots of time, you can be involved in many different ways. Everyone has something to offer - please contact us to find out more.

Do you work for the Local Authority?

NO! Essex Family Forum is an **independent** community interest company.

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